EIMS & SIF News

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Special points of interest:

- Internet Explorer
 7 is not supported
 on Oracle 10g
 (EIMS).
- Summer 2006 assessment data has been loaded.
- VA SIF Interest Group being formed. Become part of it. More @ the Ed. Tech. Conference

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SIF Software
Streamliner

47 and Counting—
DOE's Vertical SIF
Implementation

Upgrade of SIF Student Locator Agent

Release 6.0 Screen

Shots

Highlights:

VAAP & VGLA in the Assessment by Year/Proficiency Level report—See Test Type Five new quick click reports for each subject displayed at various user roles, so you will see division level data if you are a division level user; you will see school level data if you are a school level user.

EIMS Release 6.0

New reports opening page—now with tabs and port descriptions.

Audit Reports for SRC and SIF Processing

- Counts of STI's assigned by division and School
- List of STI's added by division and School by
- List of STI's merged by division and School by

New STI Split interface, which will allow associate transaction history with either STI.



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Column widths default of 6 is fixed to allow for all the columns in EIMS reports.

Added File Management screens for large divisions by adding pagination and specific date parameters.

Report Flashlights being replaced with drop down boxes on the initial selection page.

See page 3 for screen shots of new report opening page and Alert Report.

More on the November 20th Release

Alert List improvements:

- Remove 'Record Processed By' from alert list display.
- Add 'As of Date' to alert list. This is the last modified date for a student record in the student's new division.
- Change 'View the Last' dropdown to use the As of Date criteria to select data. STI Split interface improvements

changes that were suggested by the divisions and they will be added in the release as resources and time allow.

SIF now passing Active Status, Entry Date, Entry Code, Exit Date, and Exit Code

There are other minor

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SIF Software Streamliner

Whoa!

Check out this site for some excellent information about SIF. It's a link under eSchool News.

http://www.eschoolnews.com/resources/reports/sif/index.cfm



SIF "54" Where Are (the rest of) You?

54 divisions have taken advantage of DOE's no software/SIF agent costs vertical implementation.

STIs are now downloaded into their student information system automatically!

Many have expanded their implementation to include other Central Office applications like their library, trans-

portation and cafeteria systems, and more are in the works.

Please contact
me & I'll get you
hooked up or answer any questions. Call me @:

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SIFA-U

Each VA divisions can have 5 people take online tutorial courses about SIF at no charge.

Learn more about SIFA-U at the Ed. Technology Leadership Conference Nov.29—Dec. I in Roanoke.

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Student Locator (SLF) Agent Expansion

The new EIMS agent featured Nov. 20th will move more data, which will aid in the Needs Resolution process and Transfer report.

Currently, the SLF includes:

SIF Fields

First name

Last name

Middle initial

DOB

Gender

Local ID

Coming in November

Active Status Flag

Entry code

Entry date

Exit / withdrawal

code

Exit / withdrawal

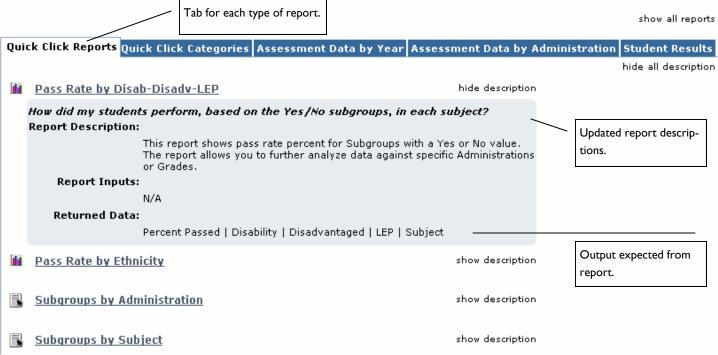
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Screen Shot of New EIMS Report's Opening Page

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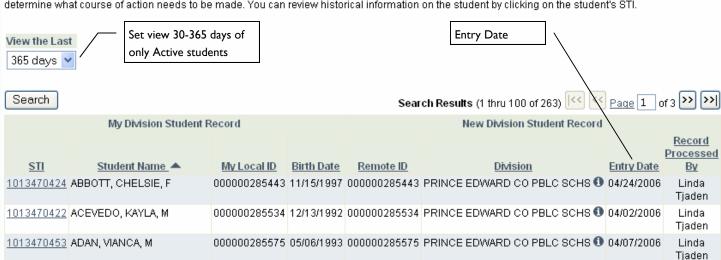
Assessment data for division and school level users to analyze longitudinal pass rates, subgroup, and reporting category data. Reports can be assessed for a division, school, teacher, grade, subject and specific test. Individual student results may also be queried based on user's login.



Screen Shot of New Alert Report

Alert List

The Alert List provides a list of students that are "Active" in your division and recently enrolled in another division as "Active". Please review the list to determine what course of action needs to be made. You can review historical information on the student by clicking on the student's STI.





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